

# Incorporated Hamlet of Tulita Cultural Center Minutes of the

## **Emergency Council Meeting**

Wednesday January 19th, 2022 at 10:00 AM

Present: Mayor, Douglas Yallee

Deputy Mayor, Sally Horassi Councillor, Robert McPherson Councillor, James Mendo

Councillor, Angela Bernarde - Absent

Councillor, Candice Fraser Councillor, Archie Erigaktuk Councillor, Carl Yakeleya Jr.

Councillor, William Andrew - Absent

Staff: Senior Administrative Officer, Samantha Bayha

Administrative Assistant, Kyanna Lennie – Dolphus

### 1. CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Douglas Yallee called the Emergency Council Meeting to order at 10:11 am.

#### 2. ADOPTION ON AGENDA:

MOTION# 01-19-2022- 598

Moved by Councilor James Mendo and seconded by Councillor Carl Yakeleya Jr. that Council Adopt the Agenda.

**CARRIED** 

## 3. ITEMS, ISSUES AND CONCERNS:

## a.) Discuss the State of Local Emergency

- Update Public as the situation progresses.
- Encourage Leaders and organizations in the community to notify Tulita Residents of concerns and Covid cases.
- Covid-19 Officer in Isolation.
- SAO will keep in contact with the Health Center regarding Covid-19 Cases.
- Concern of Alcohol consumptions rising in the community.
- RCMP in Phase one due to Covid-19.
- Mayor Douglas Yallee will update Leadership.
- Highly recommending positive households to isolate for the full 10 days.
- Positive contacts are highly recommended for the full 10 days.

Councilor Robert McPherson declares conflict at 10:25 AM and has signed off Via-zoom.

• MYB camp is on standby in case of Community spread/Overflow if needed.

Councilor Robert McPherson signed back on Via-Zoom at 10:44AM.

- ENR Officer Jules or Laurel will be coming in today.
- Jeff will be in Tulita for one day.
- Monitor Covid-19 Funding.
- Announcements will be Salvey and English by Mayor Douglas Yallee and Chief Frank Andrew
- Notify people through Facebook, Radio, advertisement.
- GNWT Community Tool kit: Covid related advertisement.
- Weekly Radio Announcements and/or if we get updated/recovered cases and/or Covid-19 related information.
- Testing, capacity, information related.
- ENR Jules from Deline is coming in today and will be speaking to SAO and give updates.

## b.) Covid-19: Related Matters

- Health Center is having a Public Radio announcement at 1:00pm on Jan/20/2022 and request for Council's input regarding Public Health Measures.
- Positive/Contact of a Positive: isolate for the full 10 days. Health Center and Hamlet is in agreement.
- Suggest more information regarding home testing kits.
- Mayor Douglas Yallee presents Public Announcements regarding EOC line activated, Liquor Prohibition order timeline and Curfew information.
- Current Health Orders are extended to January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022.
- CAWS: remote learning has been extended to January 30th, 2022.
- Northern Store capacity will change from 15 individuals in the store at once to 10 individuals.
- Fitness room closed until January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022.
- GNWT site "Know what to do for the first 72" Covid-19 information.
- Liquor prohibition is in effect until January 23rd, 2022.
- Next Liquor Prohibition will be extended to February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.

### MOTION# 01-19-2022- 599

Moved by Councilor Robert McPherson, Seconded by Councilor James Mendo that Council agrees to Extend the Local State of Emergency to January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022. **Carried** 

### 4. ADJOURNMENT:

MOTION # 01-19-2022-600

11:08 AM Deputy Mayor Sally Horassi adjourns the meeting.

**CARRIED** 

I certify these minutes are true to the best of my knowledge.	
SAO, Samantha Bayha	
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Minutes approved by Council this <u>/</u>	<u>March</u> , 2022.
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Mayor,	Administrative Assistant,
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